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COMPLETE IF KNOWN			
Application No.			
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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (only if one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

MULTI-STAGE RESPIRATOR FILTER WITH TIM FILTER OPTION

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

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 was filed on _____, as United States Application Number or PCT International Application Number: _____ and was amended on _____ (if applicable).

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Prior Foreign Application Number(s)	Country	Foreign Filing Date (MM/DD/YY)	Priority Not Claimed	Certified Copy Attached YES	Certified Copy Attached NO
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U.S Parent Application Number	PCT Parent Number	Parent Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Parent Patent Number (if applicable)
10/257,801		10/15/2002	
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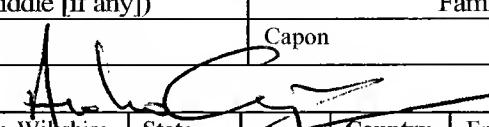
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